



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/675,557
Filing Date: September 30, 2003
Applicant: Schneider
Group Art Unit: 1774
Examiner: Merrick Dixon
Title: POLYMER COMPOSITE STRUCTURE REINFORCED
WITH SHAPE MEMORY ALLOY AND METHOD OF
MANUFACTURING SAME
Attorney Docket: 7784-000553CPC

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Sir:

Pursuant to the Final Office Action mailed August 21, 2006, please amend the application as follows. A Request For Continuing Examination and a request for a one month extension of time to respond to the Final Office Action, together with the required fee for each, is also being submitted herewith.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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